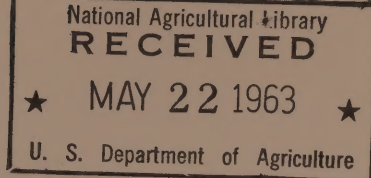


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THE LINSES



JACK G.

Born December 28, 1892, Bellefonte, Pa.

Veteran World War I

Co. L, 361st Infantry

91st Division

Wounded Roulers, Belgium,
Nov. 1, 1918. Awarded Bel-
gian Croix de Guerre.

On July 13, 1962 received
Horticulture Achievement
Award from Federated Gar-
den Clubs, State of Wash.,
for work with irises. Fine
certificate and cash award.

Due to illness, introductions
posiponed until next year.



JEAN

Legal Age

Born in Woodstock, Ont., Canada

GREETINGS FOR 1963

Once again I have the pleasure of bringing you a mighty little catalog listing the lovely Linse hybrids, and many of the finer things from others, including a nice group of the new C. G. White fertile Oncobreds. Although it is pure conjecture on my part, I have no doubt that these, used together with the Linse and other hybridizers — and the tall bearded, will yield some wonderful things, and I am working to that end. Why don't you take a hand?

It is a fact that there is no finer stock in America today, and I will so guarantee it. Personally grown, dug, and selected and packed by me—all from one year plants. **You just can't get a poor order from EASY BREEZE.** Many thanks for past favors.

Sincerely, Jack G. Linse

TERMS OF SALE

CASH WITH ORDER. Check, draft or money order. No stamps, please.
POSTAGE. Add 50¢ to order of \$5.00 to \$10.00, over \$10.00 add \$1.00 to help part of the postage.
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SALES TAX. Washington residents only—include 4% sales tax.
STOCK GUARANTEED true to name, disease free, and to reach you in live, growing conditions. Report failure to grow by October 1st, year of planting, for replacement or refund, our opinion.

BIG FREE OFFER

My sensational offer of free extras with your order is being repeated this year. You may select anything in this catalog as an extra excepting the very few starred (*) varieties, which are scarce, according to the size of your order, as follows; If you send me:

\$5.00 to \$9.00, choose 50% worth more, free.
\$10.00 to \$19.00 choose 60% worth more, free.
\$20.00 to \$29.00, choose 70% worth more, free.
\$30.00 to \$39.00, choose 80% worth more, free.
\$40.00 to \$49.00, choose 90% worth more, free.
\$50.00 and up, choose 100% worth more, free.

You will note that with a \$10.00 order you can accept a \$16.00 order, with a \$30.00 order you can accept an additional \$24.00 worth, making a total of \$54.00 for \$30.00 and so on.

YEAR END SPECIAL

This bargain counter for Southern gardeners is extremely popular, and all are amazed by the wonderful varieties and high stock received. After September 1st I will ship you surplus of my newest, most expensive varieties—\$100.00 list value and over, for \$35.00, postpaid. My selection of varieties, obviously, but name some you'd like—I'll oblige if they are available. Starred varieties and 1963 introductions cannot be included. Way, way below wholesale, but not recommended for gardeners in the Northern tier of states if you feel that winter climates are too rough for late planting.

GARDEN CLUBS

Pool your orders and get into the higher brackets for extra benefits. Remember, \$40.00 gets you \$80.00 worth of irises! Kindly send in your group's orders all at one time. Those amounting to \$5.00 in cash will be prepaid right to the member, including, of course, 50 cents to come with the order. Orders of \$10.00 and over should contain an additional \$1.00 to partly cover the costs of the postage.

GENERAL LIST

AFTER MIDNIGHT (Muhlestein '49) 36". A large dark purple. Good garden subject. \$.65

AIRY MISS (Linse '53) 26". Broad and lovely, flatly flaring seedling of Or-mohr in blue-purple. \$1.00

ALICE LEMEN (Plough '57) 36". HM '60. Excellent, very lacy variety, with standards of Empire yellow and falls of white, with yellow hafts. 3.50

ALPINE MEADOW (Stevens '55) 34". This has clear white standards and falls of blue. \$2.00

ANYTIME (Cavagnaro '56) 38". HM '56. A warm ivory white of tremendous substance and size, and lovely form. A seedling of Lady Mohr. \$2.50

BABY'S BONNET (Baker '57) 34". HM '57. White standards and pale pink falls, with tangerine beard. \$4.00

BAND OF GOLD (Linse '60) 36". Heavily ruffled iris of creamy white. The flaring falls, which are yellow on the bottom side, sweep upward at the edges, displaying a band of gold. \$10.00

BETHEL (Linse '54) 37". Very clean and smooth golden tan from Lady Mohr. Tall bearded in appearance. 1.50

BLACK HILLS (Fay '51) 38". AM '54. Excellent black iris. Tall and smooth, and a good performer. \$.65

BLUE MOTIFE (Linse '58) 38". HM '61. Terrific hybrid able to hold its own in any company! A huge greenish blue, tall, well branched and extremely vigorous, and with substance that defies the sun, even in Southern California. Has a blue tipped, blue based beard and carries pollen. From New Snow X Capitola. \$5.00

BLUE SAPPHIRE (Schreiner '53) 40". Dykes Medal '58. Large, ruffled light blue with downfalling falls. \$.65

BOLD CONTRAST (Linse '54) 38". HM '55. Likely the most handsome of all variegatas—late and lovely—Standards are Inca Gold and the falls raspberry to Mauve-rose, edged the color of the standards. \$2.50

BUTTERFLY WINGS (C. G. White '46) 36" HM '47. Fertile grandchild of Onco Susiana with standards of Wisteria blue and falls Parchment, lined golden russet and deep carmine. \$1.00

BUTTERSCOTCH KISS (Plough '57) 34". AM '59. A large iris with a fantastic amount of lacing around all petals. New blossoms are a luscious shade of butterscotch yellow. \$5.00

CAPITOLA (Reinelt '40) 24" AM '50. Famous hybrid pollen parent. Dark purple with Onco veining and darker signal patch. \$1.00

CAPTAIN GALLANT (Schmelzer '59) 36". AM '61. Handsome newcomer to the red field. Smooth and fine, without haft markings. Substance is excellent and plants are healthy and vigorous. Fertile both ways. \$10.00

CARELESS LOVE (Linse '59) 36". HM '61. A stunning seedling of Butterfly Wings. Large and flatly flaring with heavy substance and vigorous plant growth. Standards pale lemon yellow, falls golden green-yellow, merging into cream at the edges, with violet-blue area in the center. Nicely ruffled. \$8.00

CARIBOU TRAIL (Plough '57) 32". AM '59. Heavily laced variety in rich medium brown. Center of falls violet. Sister to Butterscotch Kiss. \$2.50

CARMELA (Schreiner '55) 36" AM '58. A honey colored flower. Large and lacy. \$1.00

CAROLINE JANE (DeForest '51) 38". AM '55. Clean looking, ruffled white plicata with violet edging. An excellent and vigorous variety. \$1.00

CASCADIAN (Linse '52) 36". AM '57. No need to spend the brankroll to get a fine white, for this cool, crisp beauty will meet all of your requirements. \$1.00

CASINO (Plough '55) 40". HM '56. Heavily striped and veined rosy mulberry seedling of Wm. Mohr. \$1.50

CINNA MAC (Hopson '57) 24". HM '57. Certainly a honey! Standards are light lavender, infused gold, and flaring falls are warm gold, infused cinnamon. A hybrid. \$2.00

CRISPETTE (Schreiner '54) 34". AM '57. A nice, deep orchid self of fine form, with fluted petals and wee bit of lace. \$1.00

DARK BOATMAN (Cook '54) 35". AM '56. One of the best near-blacks. A deep, velvety, violet-black with flaring form, nice ruffling and smooth, un-veined haft. \$1.00

DARLENE WATERS (Linse '56) 40". An excellent Arilbred with flaring flowers of violet-blue. Vigorous and hardy with good plant habits. Heavy bloomer. \$2.00

DREAMY (Linse '53) 38". HM '56. Super duper white with white beard and crepe-like petals. 1.00

DEEP SPELL (Linse '62) 30". Lovely deep Pansy-purple hybrid from Spell-bound X Capitola. Very handsome. \$20.00

***EDENITE** (Plough '59) 30". AM '61. Handsome red-black. Just a few to spare. \$15.00

EXOTIC (Linse '54) 48". A brilliant tan-rose, suffused gold, and with lilac blaze. Massive flowers, best of substance and stalks. \$1.50

FAIRY DANCE (Linse '55) 36". Ruffled and flaring pinkish-lavender seedling of Ripples. Reported somewhat difficult to grow by some, but lovely when well grown. \$2.50

FIRST VIOLET (DeForest '52) 38". Dykes Medal '56. Vigorous and fine Manganese-violet. \$1.00

FLAME KISS (Plough '58) 40". HM '59. An iris of nice contrasts, with white standards and semi-flaring Dresden yellow falls, high-lighted by a tangerine beard. \$2.50

FOR SURE (Linse '53) 38". Fragrant, frilly flowers of creamy tan, lightly bordered Pinnard yellow. Its great brown beard lays on a field of violet. Tall and well branched—a back of the border variety. Child of Lady Mohr. \$2.50

FRONT ROW (Linse '58) 36". HM '61. Huge and tall mauve-rose hybrid with ruby signal. Pods easily and has pollen. Best of substance, stalks well branched for the type, and plants very vigorous in growth. \$5.00

FROST AND FLAME (Hall '57) 38". AM '59. Top notch pure white with tangerine beard. Large flowers with good substance, stalks and branching, and a strong grower. \$2.50

GARNET ROYAL (Corey '56) 34". HM '57. Handsome new dark red with closed standards and velvety, flaring falls. Hafts are clean, beard is brown, growth vigorous. Recommended. \$2.50

GLOBETROTTER (Linse '56) 42". This is a beautiful brown, with huge flowers of rosy buff, smooth and clean. Fine form, best of substance, and stalks are sturdy and well branched. \$2.50

GOLDEN JOPPA (Linse '58) 35". HM '61. A perfectly hardy, healthy, and easily grown Arilbred, with the full globular form of the Oncos—see the front cover. The big, heavy substantanced flowers have standards of cream white, domed and firm. The falls, broad and semi-flaring, are of medium straw yellow, with hint of elusive green. Delightful fragrance, has pollen and sets seeds. Breeding is (Extravaganza x Rajah Brooke) x sib X Joppa Parrot. \$10.00

GRAND COULEE (Plough '58) 34". HM '59. Glorious seedling of Mary Randall. A rosy tan blend, with blossoms huge, broad and ruffled, and with exquisite poise. \$5.00

GRAND TETON (DeForest '56) 38". HM '57. Gigantic wax yellow, who's down-falling falls are ruffled and waved in a most pleasing manner. \$3.50

GREAT DAY (Tompkins '52) 36". HM '53. A large and brilliant carmine red, with black overtones. \$1.00

HAPPY BIRTHDAY (Hall '52) 36". AM '54. A large flowered, bold growing pink, with tangerine beard. \$.65

HEATHER ANGEL (Linse '56) 37". An Arilbred of rounded Onco form. Heather purple with some ruffling. \$2.00

HENRY SHAW (Benson '59) 38". AM '61. A beautiful white with the entire blossom corrugated on the petal edges. You never saw such ruffling. One of the finest whites in existence. \$10.00

HIGH HEELS (Linse '59) 42". Regal carriage on tall, perfectly branched stalks mark this iris as something out of the ordinary. The large, horizontally flaring blooms are Wisteria blue, with white beard. The falls are so broad that they meet at the haft, leaving no gap. Heavy fragrance of raspberries. Breeding is Cascadian X Windsor. \$10.00

HOT TODDY (Linse '57) 33". A hot number in greenish yellow, spotted, splattered and splashed with ruby red. Flaring form, heavy substance, domed and overlapping standards and good branching. An Arilbred, hardy and grows well. \$3.00

HUDSON BAY (Plough '58) 30". Heavily laced iris with arched standards of rosy brown and flaring falls of Rhodamine purple. \$4.00

INCA CHIEF (Mitsch '52) 35". AM '54. Huge burnished golden bronze. Always spectacular. \$1.00

INSIDE STORY (Linse '59) 32". HM '59. The standards of this unusual iris are mauve, opalescent over all, with ruffled edges. The flaring and ruffled falls are a blending of mauve, orchid and Nile green, with henna at the haft, and with golden edges. The crowning glory of this iris is the immense style arms, lacy, and up to two inches wide, completely filling the center of the flower. Huge flowers with four-way branched stalks. Breeding: Lady Mohr X Snoqualmie. \$10.00

IRMA MELROSE (DeForest '56) 38". HM '56. A huge ruffled and flaring beauty, with lemon yellow standards and lighter falls, bordered deeper lemon yellow. \$2.00

JUNE MEREDITH (Muhlestein '54) 36". AM '56. Bright ruffled and waved clear pink with tangerine beard. One of the best for garden or breeding. \$1.50

LAVANESQUE (Schreiner '53) 40". AM '59. Excellent orchid pink, ruffled and waved. \$1.00

LETTER FROM HOME (Linse '61) 42". A lovely Amethyst violet self. Huge in size, with excellent substance, it is displayed on tall, ramrod stiff stalks, nicely branched for the type, with blooms meeting you at eye level. Quite late for an Arilbred. \$15.00

LIMELIGHT (Hall '52) 35". AM '54. Lacy greenish yellow that is greatly admired. \$1.00

LINGER LONGER (Linse '60) 35". A glorious spot of color in the very late garden, opening its first bloom after the earliest ones are all through. Standards are Aster violet with heavy midrib of white. Falls the same, with leather like substance, lovely lacing and nice fragrance. Form is flaring and globular. It is a sister to High Heels. \$7.50

LYNN HALL (Hall '57) 36". AM '59. Deep pink with coral beard. Nice height and well branched. \$3.00

MAGIC MOMENTS (Linse '59) 36". This Arilbred, sister to Hot Toddy and Purple Butterfly, has standards of Empire yellow, ruffled and well held. Falls are flaring and ruffled, of Canary yellow, overlaid with fine netting of golden brown, green and olive brown. White at center with green stripe. Beard gold with lavender base. Clean, vigorous and beautifully branched. \$7.50

MARY NO (Linse '60) 35". A linebred seedling of Mary Randall. Erythrite red, with shades of Claret rose, deeper band around the edges and tangerine-orange beard. Pretty thing! \$7.50

MARY RANDALL (Fay '51) 37". Dyke Medal '54. Rich Bengal rose, with heavy red beard. Broad, smooth and clean, and a marvelous parent. \$1.50

***MAUVE MINK** (Hall '61) 36" HM '62. A rosy lilac self with red-orange beard. Not over a half dozen to spare on this one. \$10.00 Net

MAY HALL (Hall '54) 35". AM '56. Lovely, flaring, flamingo pink with red-tangerine beard. \$1.50

MAY BREEZE (Linse '62) 36". Beautifully formed, perfectly huge blooms of heaviest substance, on strong three branched stalks. Edges are ruffled and styles are lacy. Color somewhat deeper than Happy Birthday. Fertile. Breeding is Radmar 56-1 x June Meredith. \$20.00

MELODRAMA (Cook '56) 38". AM '58. Closed standards of pale lilac and flaring falls of deeper lilac. Large and lightly ruffled. A knockout! \$5.00

MELODY WATERS (Linse '57) 36". It is hard to say which is the most beautiful iris in my hybrid lines, but this one is certainly one of the finest. Sort of Pinkish lavender, with darker flecking. Standards are domed and overlapping, falls widely flaring, the whole beautifully ruffled. Heavy substance, good branching and hardy. From New Snow X Capitola. \$6.00

MIRTH (Linse '61) 30". Standards are a brilliant, velvety pansy violet, while the falls are a velvety reddish pansy purple, with golden brown beard, with golden brown sheen center of falls, and suggestion of a signal. A handsome fragrant 7½" flower, slightly ruffled and waved. Breeding Spellbound X Capitola. Excellent substance. \$17.50

MODE (Linse '62) 37". Handsome hybrid in Campanula blue-violet with remarkable inner glow of deeper color. \$20.00

MOHRESQUE (Keith '50) 38" Extremely vigorous hybrid of brownish yellow, spotted and splashed purple. \$.65

MOHR HAVEN (Reynolds '57) 35". HM '57. This hybrid supercedes Blumohr in my garden. About the same color with better form. \$3.00

MOHRNING HAZE (Luihn '59) 36". HM '59. Magnificent dead ringer for Trophy in a much lighter color. One of the very finest and you should have this beautiful pair. \$7.50

ORANGE BANNER (Waters '55) 34" HM '55. Large orange-yellow. Broad and full with semi-flaring falls. \$2.00

ORANGE FRILLS (Suiter '54) 36". HM '54. Lacy orange-apricot with flaring form and red-orange beard. \$1.50

OZIE WATERS (Linse '56) 36" Deep rose-red Arilbred with blackish signal. Large and flaring flowers with heavy substance and delicious fragrance. Somewhat fertile. \$3.50

PALOMINO (Hall '52) 36". AM '54. An ivory colored iris with amber-orange shoulders and margins, and tangerine beard. \$.65

PHLOX PINK (Linse '56) 40". The ladies love this hybrid! It is large and tall, fully hardy and vigorous, and a delicate shade of Phlox Pink. \$2.00

PHOEBUS APOLLO (C. G. White '54) 36". HM '55. Intense wax yellow of beautiful flaring form. Assumed to be an Oncobred, it is nicely ruffled, grows well and is fertile. \$1.50

PINEAPPLE SHERBET (Linse '56) 44". Huge, rounded and flaring child of Joppa Parrot. Much easier to grow, it is tall and well branched and highly fertile. Color is pineapple. \$7.50

PINK ACCENT (Pattison '53) 38". HM '54. A large, rounded pink plicata that is popular. \$1.00

PORT WINE (Sass Bros. '50) 37". AM '53. Worth growing just for fragrance. Wine-red on white plicata. \$.65

PRETENDER (Cook '51) 37". AM '55. Amber yellow standards and blue falls with lighter margins. Odd. \$1.00

PRETTY GAY (Plough '57) 34". HM '57. Large white iris with fiery red beard. Tremendously vigorous. \$2.00

PURPLE BUTTERFLY (Linse '60) 30". An odd hybrid with violet standards with greenish midrib and flaring falls whose base color is cream-white, lined their entire length with Spectrum Violet. Colors bold and clear. Fragrant, well branched. Child of Pineapple Sherbet. \$12.50

QUECHEE (Knowlton '50) 35". HM '50. Flaring, satiny, garnet-red. Very worthwhile. \$.65

QUEEN'S LACE (Muhlestein '55) 32". AM '57. Heavily laced cream white, beloved by the ladies. \$2.00

RED BUTTERFLY (Linse '56) 40". Part Onco, with standards of rose and white falls lined with red, and with gold lines near the haft. Give part shade in warmest areas. \$1.50

RIGHT ROYAL (Wills '54) 38". Tall and rich rose-red. Smooth, with heavy substance. A nice one. \$1.50

RIPPLES (Linse '51) 36". Quite a different hybrid, child of Ormoehr. Huge and broad, with heavy substance. Color is Old Lilac, with faint margining and haft of olive-yellow. \$1.50

RIVIERA (Plough '57) 34". HM '58. An excellent Dresden yellow. Broad, ruffled and lacy. Grows well. \$2.00

ROSE CAP (Linse '60) 40". Tall and vigorous hybrid, near rose in color. Perfectly hardy, with large fragrant flowers of heavy substance and nicely flared. Breeding: New Snow X Capitola. \$10.00

ROSY VEIL (Sass '53) 36". HM '54. Exquisitely dainty plicata, with lovely form. Ground color white, with border of rosy stitching. \$1.50

SABLE NIGHT (Cook '52) 34". Dykes Medal '55. Fine, large flowers of dark, reddish black. \$1.25

SIERRA SKIES (Schortman '54) 38". AM '56. Very blue in the medium range. Excellent. \$2.00

SLICK CHICK (Linse '54) 36". Very fertile pure white from Lady Mohr introduced for the hybridizer. Medium size flowers on slender, beautifully branched stalks. \$1.50

SMART TOUCH (Linse '59) 36". A beautiful flower and breeder's iris deluxe. Huge blossoms of tremendous substance, borne on heavy stalks branching near the ground. Standards are primrose yellow, falls to halfway out are Aureolin yellow, balance white. The great flaring blooms are beautifully waved and fluted. Breeding: Whispers X Temple Bells. \$8.50

SMARTY'S CHILD (Linse '60) 36". This child of Smart Touch has standards of Mimosa yellow and falls of Buttercup yellow, with center tinged lavender. Big, broad, flaring flowers on well branched stalks. \$7.50

SNOW GODDESS (Becherer '55) 38". AM '58. One of today's topnotch whites. Beautifully formed, wide and ruffled, with yellow beard. Huge plants. \$1.50

SOFT SHOULDERS (Linse '59) 46". HM '62. Blooming after practically all others are done, this handsome iris is near perfection. Huge and broad, with standards of ivory, with violet base, and flaring falls of ivory with golden olive shoulders and orange beard with lavender base. A perfectly branched, magnificent plant with great wide foliage. Breeding: Palomino X Mary Randall. \$8.50

SOLID GOLD (Kleinsorge '51) 40". AM '53. A very large and quite popular deep toned yellow. \$1.00

SOUTH PACIFIC (K. Smith '54) 40". AM '58. A real standout in the bright, light blue field. Standards well domed, falls widely flaring. \$1.75

SPELLBOUND (Linse '51) 42". HM '52. Glowing red with golden overlay, horizontal flaring form and lovely fragrance. Will breed reds for you. \$1.00

SPRING NOCTURNE (D. Boen '60) 32" HM '61. An exceptionally nice hybrid from Sable X Capitola. A dark Spectrum violet with black signal and black veins extending to the end of the wide, rounded falls. Heavy substance and well branched slender stalks. \$7.50

STORM WARNING (Schreiner '53) 36". AM '59. Large and imposing blue-black. Good grower. \$1.00

SWAN BALLET (Muhlestein '55) 40". Dykes Medal '59. Handsome, ruffled and flaring white. Blooms nicely placed although they hug the stalk like a glad. \$3.50

TECHNY CHIMES (Mission '55) 36". AM '57. Large, wide petalled, luminous yellow with tangerine-orange beard. \$2.00

TEMPLE BELLS (Hall '52) 36". AM '54. Huge, flaring apricot-yellow with fiery orange beard. \$1.00

THE CITADEL (Graves-Watkins '54) 36". AM '59. Big, flaring, lovely white. Healthy, hardy and vigorous. One of the best. \$2.00

THOTMES III (Kleinsorge '50) 40". AM '53. Excellent, glistening golden-tan. Huge and broad. \$1.00

TOAST AN' HONEY (Kleinsorge '53) 32". HM '55. A rich light golden-brown, shading off to deep toast-brown at the edges of the falls. A big, broad flower on heavy stalks. \$2.00

TOP FLIGHT (Hall '53) 34". AM '55. Deep apricot with fiery red beard. Lovely when well grown. \$1.00

TOP HAT (Schreiner '54) 38". HM '54. Claimed the largest and tallest of Schreiner blacks. Smoothly finished and broadly rounded, but a bit difficult to grow here. \$1.00

TROPHY (Linse '58) 36". C. G. White Memorial Award, 1961. Greatly spreading blooms, with blossoms 9" wide, and falls 4" and over, with heaviest substance and beautifully ruffled form. A near self of Lobelia blue, with great

frilly style arms, and beard of bright, deep blue. Increases rapidly and is somewhat fertile. Breeding New Snow X Capitola. \$6.00

UPSWEPT (Linse '62) 30". Lovely flaring and upswept rosy apricot. \$8.50

VIO (Linse '58) 36". This sister to Trophy and others in my line is one of the finest garden flowers that I know. The tremendous blooms of Bishop's violet have an 8" spread, with great, wide falls of heavy substance, are long lasting and non-fading. Loads and loads of lovely blooms! Right at the top in this color class. \$4.00

VIOLET HARMONY (Lowry '52) 38". Dykes Medal '57. Extremely vigorous and fine iris of ruffled violet. \$1.00

VOLUNTEER FIREMAN (Cline-Durance '57) 24". HM '59. From a chance pod on Oyez, long considered sterile. Standards are Indian lake and falls Cardinal red, striped black. An Oncobred. \$2.50

WELCOME GUEST (Linse '52) 38". Handsome, zippy iris of amber-gold, with flaring form and excellent substance. Smooth and lovely. \$1.50

WENATCHEE KID (Noyd '58) 38". HM '61. A huge blend of tan, burnt sienna, flame and green. Buds are green and the green remains on the back of falls. Distinct! Grows very well but increases slowly. \$7.50

WHISPERS (Linse '51) 42". HM '52. Standards are chrome-yellow, and falls are amber white. Large, flaring and vigorous and a fine garden flower you'll like. \$1.00

***WIND SHADOWS** (Conrad '59) 40". HM '59. Handsome, vigorous growing hybrid. Soft pearl-gray with bronzy hafts and beard. A novel and lovely bloom. From White Ruffles X "Oncob". \$4.00

WITCH DOCTOR (Plough '55) 28" White Memorial Award 1960. Enormous Aril-bred of grayed, blue-lavender, with buffy tan haft and heart. Heavy substance and early. \$1.50

WITH LOVE (Linse '57) 24". Flatly flaring flowers of light heliotrope with huge dark purple signal patch. Small plants, grows well. A real cutie! \$7.50

YESTERYEAR (Branch '56) 36". HM '56. This is a broad and flaring lacy variety of delicate orange tone. Good non-fading iris of heavy substance. \$2.00

WHITE'S LITTLE ONCOBREDS

Glorious blossoms on small plants with wee little rhizomes. Perfectly hardy. Heights from 18" to 30". Likely of no value for breeding, but garden subjects deluxe. \$1.00 each.

NELSON OF HILLY. White standards with lavender cast. Cream falls peppered with cinnamon and violet dots. \$1.00

SOME LOVE. Very pretty, with ground color of oyster white, sprinkled with minute dots of cinnamon. \$1.00

OYEZ. Pinkish white standards, etched with veins of dark rose. Horizontal falls of pinkish cream, veined dark maroon. Chestnut brown style arms and maroon signal. \$1.00

SUSAN OF HILLY. Frilled standards of pale amethyst. Falls blended yellow and mother of pearl. Violet signal of lines. Tallest of this group. \$1.00

WHITE'S FERTILE ONCOBREDS

Nothing since the introduction of the first tangerine bearded pinks has captured the imagination of the iris hybridizer as has the advent of these fertile Oncobreds. Product of many years of work on the part of the late Clarence G. White, here-in may lie the key to untold beautiful things at the hands of the diligent hybridizer. In winter climates of near zero and below it is advisable to cover these plants with excelsior or something similar for safety sake.

BALI AGHA (White '52) 33". Lavender standards, veined in purple. Contrasting buff falls netted russet-wine and splashed red. Fertile pollen. \$3.00

BEISAN AGA (White '54) 32". Dark black-purple with reddish sheen, and black signal. Fine grower, fertile both ways. \$2.50

IMAM AHMID (White '55) 35" Large blooms with lilac standards veined in violet. Falls Old Gold with golden sparkles. Vigorous and very fertile both ways. \$5.00

IMAM JABAN (White '56) 30". On the order of Pinnacle, with white standards and yellow falls. Branching better than average. Fertile both ways. \$2.50

IMAM SALAH (White '56) 30". This one really stops the show! Large lemon or sulphur yellow with huge purple signal patch. Fertile both ways. \$3.50

JABEL KERAK (White '55) 30". Greenish white standards and pale lemon falls, with dahlia purple signal patch. Good breeder. \$5.00

JALLAH ad DIN (White '55) 30" Lovely brown, with standards tan, falls brown with fine tan border. Sets seeds. \$6.00

JALLAH EFFENDI (White '52) 30". Brightest of this group with standards of buff yellow, with delicate mahogany veins, and falls cinnamon yellow, flushed red and brilliantly peppered purple. Fertile and vigorous. \$2.50

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THE OLD CHIP BASKET

In order to lighten my work and permit me to continue in this interesting line, I have thought to eventually list only my own originations, and possibly those of C. G. White. I have again dropped out a few of the other varieties and added a few newer ones and I think you will find them interesting.

PLANTING AND CARE

When you receive your shipment, open the carton, check the order to make sure you have received everything ordered, and plant immediately in good garden soil, that is well drained and with a southern exposure. The irises I sell are not bog plants, so do not overwater, but keep moist enough to get them well started, and growing throughout the season. If you feel that your soil needs fertilizer, use one low in nitrogen—such as one would use for potatoes, keeping it well away from the rhizomes which I plant here, about one inch below the surface. Well rotted manure and/or compost may also be used. No winter protection is afforded in my garden excepting on the one year plants of White Oncobreds, as mentioned elsewhere, because their degree of hardiness is not yet thoroughly established. It is usually considered good practice, however, in areas of cold winters, to protect the newly planted irises with some material that will not pack down at the advent of winter. Marsh hay, excelsior, fir boughs or similar material may be used. If you care for your plants well, the large rhizomes that I send you will nearly all bloom the following spring. Occasionally some varieties will bloom a second time—in the fall, if cold weather does not come too soon. I have found that Captan in a 20% formulation is a good fungicide to use on aphids, and that Diazinon 25-W will certainly control the aphids.

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